April 19, 2005

JEFFERSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT FACILITIES HEARING REPORT – AMENDMENT No. 1

A local public hearing was held at the Jefferson County Board of Education Construction and Maintenance Service Building on April 18, 2005, at 5:30 p.m. (local time). The purpose of the public hearing was to provide **Amendment No.1** to the District Facility Plan (DFP) developed by the Jefferson County Local Planning Committee. The Local Planning Committee (LPC) voted 18-0 in favor of the proposed new plan, and the board voted 5-2 to approve the new plan.

There were three individuals in attendance. Timothy K. Lucas, Division of Facilities Management, served as the state-appointed hearing officer. Michael Mulheirn, FCIOB, REFP Executive Director, and John Lee, JCPS Architect, were present.

COMMENTS

Mr. Mulheirn called the public hearing to order and welcomed those in attendance. The hearing officer outlined the purpose of the hearing and the hearing procedures in accordance with 702 KAR 1:001. It was explained that those persons wishing to speak would be given the opportunity and that written statements would be accepted. It was also noted that all considerations will be made available to the Kentucky Board of Education via the hearing officer's report. The items to be amended in the plan were noted as follows:

- Construct a new 650 student Elementary School on property owned by the district at Norton Commons on Brownsboro Road
- Construct a new 950 student Middle School on property owned by the district on Billtown Road and Gelhaus Lane
- Construct a new 950 student Middle School on a site to be determined.

The floor was opened to those who wished to make a statement. No specific comments were made regarding the amendments to the DFP.

RECOMMENDATIONS

It is recommended that the amended DFP developed by the Jefferson County LPC and adopted by the Jefferson County Board of Education be approved as the DFP for the Jefferson County School District. A copy of the new plan is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

Timothy K. Lucas Hearing Officer